[Mr. E. K. Kuriyppe.]

(*b*) whether electric energy is being supplied to those places at present ; and

(*c*) if not the reason therefor ?

Mr. K. P. Padmanabha Menon: (*a*) Some of the punja fields in the Vembanad Reclamation with a total area of 4310 acres, about 85 acres of punja fields in Kaviyoor, 68 acres in Kuthiathodu and 12 acres in Kottapuram.

(*b*) No.

(*c*) The pumping is only seasonal and the supply depends on demand from the cultivators.

Taluks to which Electric energy is distributed from the Pallivasal Hydro-Electric Scheme.

30. ***Mr. E. K. Kuriyppe**: Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the taluks in Travancore to which electric energy is distributed from the Pallivasal Hydro-electric scheme :

(*b*) the places in Travancore supplied with electric energy for agricultural and industrial purposes ; and

(*c*) the rate per unit by which electric energy is supplied for agricultural, industrial and lighting purposes ?

Mr. K. P. Padmanabha Menon: (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*). A *statement furnishing the information required is laid on the table.

Charges for talking over the telephone.

31. ***Mr. E. K. Kuriyppe**: Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether the rate of charges for talking over the telephone (trunk line) has been raised from what it was at the time of its inception :

(*b*) if so, the reasonss for such enhancement ;

(*c*) whether they will lay on the table a statement showing the collection on account of charges realised from each of the public call offices in Travancore after the inauguration of the telephone system ?

Mr. K. P. Padmanabha Menon: (*a*) No.

(*b*) Does not arise in view of reply to part (*a*).

(*c*) The †statement is laid on the table.

Tax collected from the Kanthalloor and Keezhanthoor pakuthies.

32. *** Mr. E. K. Kuriyppe**: Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the total amount of tax collected from the Kanthalloor and Keezhanthoor pakuthies ; and

* *Vide* Appendix I.—page 206.

† *Vide* Appendix II.—page 207.

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Appendix I.

Vide **Answer to Question No. 30.**

Statement showing taluks to which electric energy is distributed from the Pallivasal Hydro Electric Scheme.

(*a*) Deviculam, Muvattupuzha, Kunnathnad, Parur, Kottayam, Changanacherry, Tiruvella, Mavelikara, Ambalapuzha, Karthikapally, Karunagapally and Quilon.

(*b*) 1 The whole of the High Range area comprised of the K. D. H. P. concessions.

2 Kothamangalam
3 Perumpavur
4 Alwaye
5 Parur
6 Mangalapuzha
7 Kalamasserry
8 Churnikara
9 Kottayam Licensee's point
10 Pallam
11 Chingavanam
12 Vembanad Reclamation area
13 Changanacherry
14 Tiruvella
15 Eraviperur
16 Mavelikara
17 Chavara
18 Neendakara
19 Quilon
20 Kilikollur
21 Kundara.

(*c*) The tariffs for supply of power for industrial, agricultural and lighting purposes have been published in the Electrical Department sheet at pages 1 to 9 of the Travancore Government Gazette dated 5-12-1939.

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